Licensure Status Definitions

The following licensure status definitions are provided as a description of the status that licensees and/or applicants may hold:

Current: The license application or renewal fees have been paid and continuing education and other requirements (if applicable) have been met. Licensee holds a valid license to practice.

Delinquent: Application or renewal fees and/or compliance with the continuing education, documentation, or other requirements (if applicable) are past due. The license has not been issued or has expired, and no practice is permitted while the license is delinquent/expired.

Denied: The license application has been denied and no license has been issued. No practice is permitted.

Inactive: Licensee may not practice in California. License has expired; licensee has chosen not to renew or has surrendered their license; licensee is retired; or licensee is deceased.

Pending: Applicant has submitted all application fees and met other requirements and issuance of license is pending. No practice is permitted until license is issued and current.

Revoked: The license is revoked as a result of action rendered by the Department. No practice is permitted.

Suspended: The licensee is prohibited from practicing for a specified period of time.

Temporary: Licensee holds a valid license to practice but is required to work under the supervision of a licensed genetic counselor or a licensed physician and surgeon.